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WASHINGTON.
(From our regular correspondent.)

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The Blaine-Harrison business is believed to be nearing a crisis, and the prediction is made by shrewd observers that within the next sixty days one of them will announce that he will not accept the presidential nomination of his party, if it be tendered to him. Mr Harrison is decidedly averse to being that one, and his friend, Secretary Foster, will visit Bar Harbor within ten days for the purpose of trying to make Mr Blaine take the position of "loyalty" towards his chief which Russell Harrison's newspapers have assigned to him, by writing a letter for publication over his own signature stating that he is not willing to become a candidate and that he is for Harrison. One would suppose from the talk of the personal friends of these two men that the republican party was their personal property and that when they had decided what they wished to be done that party must slavishly obey that decision. This sort of thing must be aggravating to self-respecting republicans, who must think it is high time for the party to go out of existence when it is confined in its choice of candidates to two men.

Representative Herbert, of Alabama, who is understood to be a candidate for the vacancy on the Interstate Commerce Commission made by the death of Hon W. L. Bragg, of the same state, is in town. Alabama has several other candidates for the vacancy, among them Judge Morrill and Col. Shorter. There are also lots of candidates from other states, including ex Senator Reagan and Representative Culbertson, of Texas, and ex Congressman Hammond, of Georgia. The appointment will go, by law, to a democrat.

Mr Wanamaker has a grand scheme to get something for nothing. He has sent a circular letter to all postmasters at county seats to visit all the postoffices in their counties, at their own expense, and report their condition to him. That's a case of cheek.

There is a well-founded suspicion that the state department is trying to "pull the wool over the eyes" of the colored brother in regard to the vacant position of U S Minister to Hayti. It is stated semi-officially that the department, on account of circumstances which it deems inadvisable to make public, will not fill the vacancy for some time to come, but the appointment will probably eventually go to a colored man. This is expected to quiet the colored voter until after elections, when Mr Blaine will carry out his intention of selecting a white man for the place, trusting to luck to bamboozle the negro voters with other half-way promises before the time comes to hold another election. It is not certain, however that this plan will succeed, as many of the more intelligent negroes are fully aware of what is going on, and if they only agree upon any of the many negro candidates for the place, it is possible for them to compel his appointment before the fall elections are held.

A smile crosses the face of the average naval officer when he hears anyone speak of Secretary Tracy's efforts to have the mechanics in the navy yards appointed on their merits and not on their political "pull." The fact of the matter is that naval officers generally take no stock in this alleged reform. One of them said on the subject: "Bah! it is simply nauseating to sensible people who know anything about the manner in which the best assignments in the navy are made, to be told that the mechanics in the navy yards are to be appointed solely on their merits, as developed by competitive examinations. It is not probable that such a reform is really intended by the same authorities who, unless they are woefully ignorant, must know that it is the officers who know how to intrigue, and above all those who possess that mysterious something known as a political "pull" that receive all of the best assignments in the navy, and not the officers who have made the best records. This is true from the acting Admiral down, and until it is changed I shall be slow to credit the Secretary of the navy with any sincere reform intentions, no matter what orders he may issue."

The administration will have a bitter pill to swallow in recognizing the congressional party as the legal government of Chili, as it must now do. It should prove a warning to the state department, which should compel our ministers abroad to keep their fingers out of the internal affairs of the countries they are accredited to.

A stone to mark the starting-point of the first locomotive ever used in America, "John Bull, No. 1," is to be erected near the Mile Hollow, near Bordentown, N. J., by the Pennsylvania railroad. Around the base there will be a railing composed of the rails and spikes of those early days.

Exports of canned beef from the United States last month amounted to only 3,854,611 pounds. In July, 1890, no less than 7,008,400 pounds were shipped out. The falling-off in export business during June and July is partially explanatory of the recent decline in prices.

Canada only lacks 237,000 square miles to be as large as the whole continent of Europe; it is nearly thirty times as large as Great Britain and Ireland, and 500,000 square miles than the United States.

The Capital Journal is growing about the State Board of Education not meeting and attending to certain business imposed upon it by law with reference to the reform school of the state and with its usual unfairness attempts to lay the blame on the governor. Now we do not know anything about the trouble brewing around the reform school, but from hints thrown out we would suggest that if the Journal will make an honest investigation into the conduct of one of the other members of the Board it will meet no difficulty in getting into a nest of facts that would surprise many people. But the Journal will not do that. Such a course would not promote the ulterior purposes which it has in view.

In Vienna 2112 persons live under the roof of one building. It is an apartment-house called the Frishaus. There are 1500 rooms so arranged as to make 400 dwelling houses with 130 staircases and thirty elevators.

The manufacture of artificial ice has not quite destroyed the business of Maine, as on one day last week fifty one vessels, mostly three or four-masted schooners, were loading or waiting for loads at the icehouse above Bath.

Those who think the United States have disposed of all available land may be surprised to learn that in the year ending June 30 114,000 patents were issued, including homestead, preemption and other classes of entries.

Governor Campbell will make his first speech at Mt. Gilead, Ohio, next Saturday. Roger Q Mills will speak in that state from Sept. 19th, until Oct. 1st.

It is said that a scheme is on foot by the Steckler democrats of New York, (a little faction of Tammany), and the Central Labor Union to run Lieutenant Governor Jones for governor. Such a move might give the state to the republicans.

C W Cobb, job printer, Eliza Block.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED—A nurse girl. Apply to W. W. Davis, at the Dalmatoc restaurant.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO whom it may concern, that bids will be received by the county court of Linn county, Oregon, at the office of the county clerk of Linn county, Oregon, up to 12 o'clock noon Wednesday, September 9th, 1891, for the construction of a county bridge across Thomas creek, at Hannu crossing, in Linn county, Oregon, said bridge to be of the following dimensions, to wit: Main span to be 100 feet in length 16 feet wide in the clear, and 18 feet above low water mark, each end of main span to rest upon eight solid oak piles. North approach to be 75 feet long, 16 feet wide in the clear, and protected by banisters. South approach to be 16 feet long, 16 feet wide in the clear, and protected by banisters. No bid will be considered unless accompanied with plans and specifications, and 5 per cent of bid in cash or certified check.

The county reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

N P PAYNE, County Clerk.

By E M PAYNE, Deputy.

THE CRY OF MILLIONS

OH, MY BACK!

STOP IT NOW.

SOON IT WILL BE TOO LATE.

I have been troubled many years with disease of the kidneys and have tried many different remedies and have sought aid from different physicians without relief. About the 15th of April I was suffering from a very violent attack that almost prostrated me in such a manner that I was bent over, when I at down it was almost impossible for me to get up alone, or to put on my clothes, while kind Providence sent Dr. Huxley, with L. OREGON KIDNEY TEA, to my hotel. I immediately commenced using the tea. It had an almost miraculous effect, and to the astonishment of all the guests at the hotel, in a few days I am happy to state, that I was a new man. I will recommend the tea to all afflicted as I have been.

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